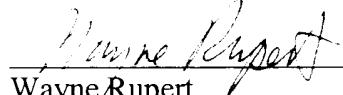


**Remarks**

In reply to the restriction requirement mailed August 13, 2003, applicants hereby elect Group I (claims 1-62 and 80-92). Non-elected claims 63-79, and 93-95 are canceled without prejudice towards filing a divisional application. Applicants look forward to receiving an action on the merits. Should there be any questions regarding this application, Examiner Johnson is invited to contact the undersigned attorney at the telephone number shown below.

Respectfully submitted,

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